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Missouri service Member for Life Transition Summit slated at Fort Leonard Wood

FORT LEONARD WOOD, Mo. – In an effort to provide maximum support to transitioning service members, Families, veterans and Reserve-component members, Fort Leonard Wood Transition Services is slated to hold a two-day Service Member for Life Transition Summit May 5 and 6, to connect transitioning members of our military community with opportunities and resources.

The goals of the summit are to provide education and awareness of the Transition Assistance Program, announce local initiatives/partnerships, and to connect transitioning service members to employers and jobs.

The event culminates with a hiring fair May 6 in which more 100 local and national employers are likely to participate. This event is open to all veterans, regardless of ID card status.

Job seekers and attendees are encouraged to register at <http://HIRINGOURHEROES.org>.

For questions about the summit, call the SFL-TAP Office at 573.596.0131, ext. 60175.

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Media interested in covering the summit, should contact the Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office at 573.563.4145, no later than 11 a.m., May 4.

Encl. Flyer

About Fort Leonard Wood

Fort Leonard Wood is a thriving and prosperous installation that has evolved from a small basic training post 70 years ago to a premier Army Center of Excellence that trains about 80,000 military and civilians each year.

Home to the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence, Fort Leonard Wood now trains and educates service members and develops doctrine and capabilities for the Training and Doctrine Command's U.S. Army Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear School, U.S. Army Engineer School, and U.S. Army Military Police School, three gender integrated Initial Military Training brigades, and the Army's largest Noncommissioned Officers Academy.

Over the past several years, Fort Leonard Wood has received numerous additional responsibilities to include supporting the 4th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade, a large Forces Command unit that is responsible for all deployable capabilities at Fort Leonard Wood. A colonel-commanded Marine Corps Detachment and an Air Force Detachment, which are both the largest on any Army installation, are located on Fort Leonard Wood; a large Navy Seabee Detachment and elements of the Coast Guard train here as well.
